

"The Ottawa Spotlight"

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Suggested Waterway Treaty

Ottawa, June 9th.—The new set of proposals sent by Washington to Ottawa in relation to the construction of a seaway along the St. Lawrence route brings that vexed question in to the limelight again. The memorandum, which the Dominion Government has now in its hands for consideration is an astutely drawn document. It seeks to overcome the main arguments that have been advanced by the opponents to the enterprise. By the terms of the proposed treaty, the mbarge laid by the United States on the export of electric power from Ontario to New York state would be removed. It would acknowledge the ownership by Ontario of the water which would be diverted from the Hudson Bay region to Lake Superior under plans that were suggested by the government of Ontario. In addition, in connection with the development of the international section of the St. Lawrence, the huge power installation on the Canadian side must not be undertaken by the Ontario government until the province needs the power which would be generated there.

The main features of the proposals were that it would be a 27 foot waterway from the mouth of the St. Lawrence to the Gulf of St. Lawrence; that an international commission of ten men would study plans for development and allocate the tasks of construction and that Canada would complete the construction from Cornwall to Montreal while the United States would attend to the international section from Cornwall to Prescott and all work West of Lake Erie.

There is no means of knowing what will likely be the fate of the suggested treaty. The Canadian government will study it carefully. There will be discussions about its terms with the Governments of provinces vitally interested. Endeavouring to look at the chances for the treaty from every angle, observers are mentioning that the 1922 treaty following lines in many respects similar to this one, was refused by the United States senate. Would it pass this treaty? It is estimated that the cost to Canada of its share of construction would likely be about 10 million dollars. This is a large outlay, and there is always the uncertainty of estimates. It might go considerably higher. There is the power and the railway situation on the one hand and on the other the "enduring benefits to be derived by industry and agriculture. Interest on both sides of the line from the development of their great natural water highway. It is a very complicated issue with much to be said on each side of the question.

Loans to Municipalities
Very little real opposition has been raised in the house of commons to the government bill authorizing the Dominion to lend up to an aggregate of 30 million dollars to municipalities for "self liquidating" enterprises. The loans would bear interest at two per cent per annum. The idea is that this money would be lent to municipalities to renovate and put in better working order their waterworks, gas plants, electric light systems and other enterprises which yield a revenue. These renewed and improved plants would bring higher revenues and costs of maintenance would be reduced. The building trade and employment would be aided. Loans would be made only on enterprises approved by the provinces and the loans would bear the guarantee of the provincial governments. In this way the difficulty about the Dominion infringing provincial jurisdiction by making contributions to the municipalities would be overcome. The Dominion would be making a contribution to the municipalities under this bill, as the Dominion treasury would have to absorb the difference between the two per cent interest rate and the rate at which the Dominion has to borrow its money. The Dominion would also pay for the cost of administering the loan plan. The scheme is based upon the expressed policy of the government to "use the credit of the Dominion to stimulate productive work."

Amendments to the Criminal Code
A bill introduced in the commons amending the criminal code will increase the punishment of motor drivers who fail to stop at the scene of an accident. The penalties for failure to stop are a maximum fine of \$500 or six months and failure to stop will be taken as prima facie evidence of intent to escape liability. Reckless driving whether an accident occurs or not, will be subject to penalties. In addition to these measures for the safety of the highways, the bill deals with frauds in mining. Maximum penalty for the holder of a lease on gold or silver mines attempting to defraud either the owner or the crown will be increased from two to five years. "Salting" of mines will be an express offence.

The Commission on Dominion Provincial Relations
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STRATHMORE STUDENTS SUCCESSFUL AT NORMAL

Five Frances Chamberlain High School students who graduated last year, and who have been attending the Normal School in Calgary have given a good account of themselves. They all received First Class Interim Certificates last Thursday. They are—Jean Cornack; Betty Drummond; Eleanor Egeland; Honors in Practice Teaching; Marian Sanden, Honors in Practice Teaching; Max Walls, Strathcona Trust Medal in Physical Training.

We extend to these five young people our best congratulations and wishes for happiness in their chosen work.

The Boy Scouts are arranging a hike for Saturday next. They will leave the Strathmore Hall 8:30 a.m. with Rev. G. W. Lang in charge.

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TRACK AND FIELD DAY WINNERS

WINNERS IN BOW VALLEY TRACK AND FIELD MEET
GLENVIEW, June 10, 1938

Class A—BOYS—RECORD
Dash—8:25—Leslie Roberts, Strathmore; Jimmie Gerrill, Glenview; Campbell McKay, Glenview.
Relay—35:45—Bassano, Glenview; Rosemary.

High Jump—3' 11"—Martye Morison, Glenview; Keith McKinnon, Glenview; Leslie Roberts, Strathmore.
Running Broad Jump—8' 7"—Irvin Dyck, Rosemary; Keith McKinnon, Glenview; Jimmie Gerrill, Glenview.
Dash—8:25—Norma Leisner, Arrowwood; Lucella Greenwood, Bassano; Myrtle Morton, Berta Vale.
Relay—37"—Strathmore; Rosemary; Glenview.

High Jump—2' 11"—Myrtle Morton, Berta Vale; Bernice Christensen, Glenview; Irma Tyck, Rosemary.
Running Broad Jump—7' 5"—Norma Leisner, Arrowwood; Kathleen Campbell, Strathmore; Myrtle Morton, Berta Vale.
CLASS B—BOYS—
Dash—7:45—Billy Plante, Akenside; Donald Hunter, Glenview; Jerry Hansen, Bassano; Billy Plante, Akenside.
Relay—31"—Bassano; Glenview; Rosemary.

Running High Jump—3' 7"—Dick Plummer, Bassano; Billy Plante, Akenside; Donald Hunter, Glenview.
Running Broad Jump—11' 5"—Billy Plante, Akenside; Jerry Hansen, Glenview; Arthur Peaser, Rosemary.
Baseball Throw—128' 9"—Billy Plante, Akenside; Ernie Kilne, Glenview; Neil Vester, Glenview.
CLASS B—GIRLS—
Dash—7:45—Grace Sutherland, Glenview; Jeanne Le Page, Bassano; Foreman Peterson, Glenview.
Relay—Bassano; Glenview; Strathmore.

Running High Jump—3' 4"—Martye Christensen, Glenview; Marjorie Leisner, Arrowwood; Lucy McBride, Bassano.
Running Broad Jump—10' 6"—Jeanne LePage, Bassano; Ruth Way, Berta Vale; Ellen Gerrill, Glenview.
Sorbital Throw—91' 8"—Martye Christensen, Glenview; Jeanne LePage, Bassano; Margaret Sinclair.

CLASS C—BOYS—
Dash—10:25—Andy McLean, Strathmore; Linton Taylor, Husar; Continued on Page Four

Mr. Van Tighem is a visitor in Edmonton during the week.

Mr. Arnold W. Goldsborough, A.R.C. M. F. B. C. O. of London, England will conduct examinations in Music Monday June 13th at Miss Geraldine Van Tighem's home from 2 to 4 p.m.

C. P. R. TENNIS MEETING
A meeting of the C. P. R. Tennis Club was held on Thursday, June 2nd. Officers elected for the season are as follows:

Honorary President—Mr. Griffin.
President—Mr. C. Lambert.
Vice-President—Dr. Giffen.
Secretary—Margaret Freeman.
Tournament Managers—Harold Freeman, Wilfrid Riddle.
Group Managers—Mr. Freeman, Arthur Anderson.
Convenor—Mrs. Freeman.

After a discussion as to maintenance of the courts, and play for the coming season, the meeting was adjourned.

COMING EVENTS
Big Sports Day at Standard July 1, bigger and better than ever. Celebrate Canada's Natal Day, July 1st, by going to Standard.

Don't forget the baseball Tournament at Carleton Place, Friday, July 1st. Four teams competing and big games in the evening.

SPECIALS IN PERMANENTS—Tonic Oil—\$2.30
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June 13th to 25th. Apply Fay's Beauty Parlor.

Saturday Night Hop in Memorial Hall June 11th. Jack Bremner's Orchestra will furnish peppy music from 9-12. Make your date now.

Cheddie dance, Friday, June 10th.

Morley Hall of Westbourne Baptist Church held the marriage line.

Following the ceremony a tasty lunch was served by Missa Stella and Robena Peterson and Mrs. Clarence Gerritt.

Mr. and Mrs. Peterson will reside near Namaka where the bridegroom is engaged in farming.

"LONG LIVE THE KING"

June 9th is the date chosen by King George VI as the day on which his birthday shall be celebrated and loyal subjects the Empire over will put up their flags and sing most sincerely, Long Live Britain's King—George VI.

May 12, 1937 King George and Queen Elizabeth were crowned king and queen of Great Britain and the Dominions, under circumstances, which might have torn the Empire asunder. But not so, the British Constitution stands stronger than any one individual be he king or commoner, and it is well. The struggle had been

through the previous years to frame a vehicle that would guard the rights of the people, whatever the merits or demerits of possible rulers.

King George VI and his consort Queen Elizabeth have lived up to the fullest requirements of constitutional Monarchs. They have at the same time shown a human sympathy with and for their subjects, which has endeared them to the hearts of their people.

Long may they reign and may War be averted.

Mr. A. Lyszell kept bidding lively at the Auction Sale in the Memorial Hall Strathmore evening. The sale and the dance netted a tidy sum.

The C. G. I. T. Group have been busy with their plot. Planting potato this year will prove excellent preparations for the more beautiful plants, shrubs and flowers next year. Bravo Girls.

Miss Frances Chamberlain will arrive Sunday to visit her brother Mr. T. L. Chamberlain and Mrs. Chamberlain.

The Strathmore Band lived the evening quiet with their tuneful Strait playing Monday. They have been engaged for Standard Sports Day July 1st.

Rev. G. W. and Mrs. Lang had a guest last week the later's mother Mrs. Samuel of Calgary. Mrs. Lang returning with her mother to enjoy a few days in Calgary.

Wilfrid Riddle arrived home from Toronto last Wednesday morning. Frederic came on Sunday.

Mrs. Riddle's mother Mrs. Barnes arrived Wednesday to spend the summer in the West. Saturday next Mr. and Mrs. Riddle will have as guests for several days Mr. and Mrs. Haylock and daughter Barbara from Nelson, B. C.

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People are not "dumb" because they lack mental equipment. They are dumb because they lack an adequate method for the use of that equipment. Those intellectuals whose position is to set on high rears and deplore the innate stupidity of the herd are on a very shady fence. Often if they but knew it, they are more confused than the man on the street, for they deal in lotteries, abstractions. When I hear a man say, "We never can get anywhere because the masses are so stupid," I know that I am in the presence of a mythmaker, caught on his high perch behind the bars of a verbal prison.

Language is perhaps the most human of all human attributes. It is what sets us off most sharply from the higher animals. It is a part and parcel of our minds and of the relatively greater size of our brains. No second exists of any tribe which could not talk. Is it a wild extrapolation to suppose that language and human beings appeared together on the evolutionary stage, that as the brain grew, speech grew? What can be more important than to appreciate, understand, and consciously develop this most human activity? It is extraordinarily difficult, but the facing and overcoming of extraordinary difficulties is another very human attribute. I give you Captain Scott on his march to the North Pole.

The man who finally got machine guns and tanks to the front and saved the British army was a rank civilian—Mr. Lloyd George. (Selection from Stuart Chase's "Tyranny of Words").

CHEADLE

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. Keer on the birth of a son May 29.

Mr. F. Cramer is up and around again after being ill for some time.

Thursday last a surprise party, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. Payne, was held at the home of Mr. O. Edwards. After lunch, Miss Lydia McLean made presentations on behalf of the Ladies Club and the Sports Club. All joined in wishing them a long and happy married life.

Mrs. H. Hard of Kelowna, B. C. is visiting at the home of her daughter Mrs. Sackett.

The regular meeting of the W. A. was held at the home of Mrs. Sackett Wednesday last. After the business meeting a delectable lunch was served by the hostess.

FINISH ALBERTA

Completion of the wonderful scenic highway between Jasper Park and Lake Louise is to be undertaken by the dominion government this year. An appropriation of \$100,000 in the supplementary estimates brought down in the house of commons last week is for the purpose of completing the remaining 21 miles of this high way in 1938.

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A FARMER'S MUSINGS

(Tim Longbottom)

The well known educationalist, who said that this world is getting better all the while, only touched the fringe of the subject. The trials and sorrows which prevail in many lands prove that "dog eat dog" is still the motto of a great host of people.

Science and education have greatly improved many conditions, but until exploitation and oppression have been banished from the earth, a large number of human beings will continue to be unhappy.

Fortunately for the good of mankind hope seldom dies, and as an unknown poet wisely said:—
Every day is a fresh beginning.
In spite of old sorrows and older sinning.

And parties forecasted, and possible pain,
Take heart with the day and begin again!

GOLF NOTES

Strathmore Golf Club Competition, June 12th, 1938.

A. Person	vs.	T. S. Hughes
B. Fessenden	vs.	P. Sowden
R. A. Brown	vs.	W. Gray
D. McMurray	vs.	W. Gray
J. R. Gannon	vs.	Lester Jones
P. Bent	vs.	Carl Sorenson
S. McNeill	vs.	E. Wright
N. White	vs.	B. Koch
George Koch	vs.	Lyall Campbell
Fred Holmes	vs.	George Giroux
L. Van Tighem	vs.	Alan Gray
W. Craig	vs.	F. Weismann
H. McGregor	vs.	G. Jackson
L. Wood	vs.	R. J. Russell
W. Jackson	vs.	A. Fraser
G. H. Patrick	vs.	E. N. Ridley
D. A. Perry	vs.	C. Van Tighem
M. S. Hittle	vs.	C. F. Nichol

This Competition is 18 holes. Please keep your scores and hand same in. Please note:— This Competition is the first round of the gross score and therefore low scores qualify for the County District Competition. Please see that all your putts are holed out. Do not concede any putts.

BANK'S REPLY TO PREMIER ABERHART'S LETTER

The bank's reply dealt in facts instead of theories. It was contained in a letter signed by W. McDunnell, Alberta superintendent of the Bank of Montreal, on behalf of all the chartered banks operating in Alberta. It was received by the government in Edmonton on Tuesday—although not seen then by Premier Aberhart, because he was still busy campaigning in Saskatchewan. This is the text of the reply:

"Dear Sir—
"We acknowledge on behalf of the banks in Alberta your letter dated June 3 received and we welcome the opportunity to clarify to your government a situation which is causing concern and which may not be fully understood. Banking which you rightly term an essential service to the people of Alberta, has been rendered during the past 10 years and is now being rendered in Alberta at a substantial loss. This loss has been very largely increased by the imposition of crushing burdens of new taxation during 1937 and 1938.
"In February and March of 1937 and on several occasions since, banks

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direct representations to you and to your government as to the effect of Alberta's discriminatory and discriminatory taxation on the banks in the light of the losses to which we have referred. These representations were ignored by the government. Again in 1938 session last ended, the taxes then existing, namely \$214,000 per annum were increased 50 per cent to \$321,000 per annum. The foregoing totals of Col. med on Page Three

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WHY does anybody borrow money?
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Be the borrower a farmer, marketing organization, lumberman, miner, fisherman, rancher, manufacturer none ever borrows from a bank and pays interest except to gain a benefit outweighing the interest charges.

Every Canadian dollar represents tangible wealth already produced, or wages paid for services rendered. Every Canadian dollar issued can be described accurately as to purpose, as a wealth-producing, wage-paying, profit-seeking dollar.

Occasionally some borrowed dollars become temporarily deadweight debt—perhaps you suffer a loss for a season through drought or other natural calamity. But with a better season, better prices and brighter business, the loan has a chance to recover its losses.

performs as an everyday routine, in Canada. Any community can supply scores of similar examples.

What is money?
 Coinage, Bank of Canada notes, bank notes, deposits. Chartered banks now issue their notes up to a legal limit of 85 per cent of their paid-up capital. Yearly this is being reduced and the right of note issue as steadily vested in the Bank of Canada.

A chartered bank's notes are the first charge on its assets. In case of trouble they must be paid off before a single cent can be paid on deposits or on any other debt owed by the bank. To make doubly sure that notes will be redeemed, each bank pays into a fund held by the Minister of Finance, an amount of cash equal to five per cent of the average of its bank notes outstanding. This is called the "Bank Circulation Redemption Fund." The total of this fund is available for the purpose of redeeming the outstanding notes of any bank.

Notes of the Bank of Canada are money—legal tender—cash—that Bank's notes and deposits are backed (April 30, 1938) by 53.37 per cent of gold and silver bullion and foreign exchange.

Notes of the chartered banks, too, are money—their promise to pay, every dollar backed by more than twenty dollars of assets. They are redeemable, on demand, in cash.

Your deposits in a chartered bank also are money—you can buy things with it. It arises from your labour, production and thrift. It is redeemable in cash. It is the measure of your real wealth. You may make payments by cheque upon it. When your cheque goes through the clearing house system, it must be met by the bank on which it is drawn. Any balances as your savings banks have to be settled in cash daily.

Your Canadian dollars are useful factors in a system that encourages individual credit, and

A hog-raiser on a large scale paid \$100 interest on a loan for feed. He wrote us that he made a net profit of nearly \$2,000.

These are instances of the kind of service bank credit, exchanged for individual credit,

THE CHARTERED BANKS OF CANADA

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MAHATMA GANDHI AND THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT

Political affairs are improving rapidly in India, according to statements made by the Mahatma, who is expected to visit India in two to three years. He emphasized the more conciliatory policy of the British Government toward members of the All India Congress. From a "born in the flesh" of the British Govt. Gandhi has now become an eloquent champion.

The little 50 year old Hindu stated they are very hopeful that the two great religious forces in India, the Hindus and the Moslems, will at last settle their differences amicably and come to a sound agreement for political co-operation.

NEW STAMP SERIES

Six new Canadian double-sized pictorial stamps to complete the King George group are to be issued June 15. The series will include: a 10c stamp picturing the Memorial Chamber of the Peace Tower at Ottawa; a 20c stamp showing Fort Garry Gate, Winnipeg; a 50c stamp showing the entrance to Vancouver Harbor; a \$1.00 stamp showing Chateau de Frontenac, Montreal; a 5c air mail stamp showing a scene on Mackinac Island; and a 20c special delivery showing the Canadian Coat of Arms.

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

At the meeting of the Town Council held Tuesday evening, the Deputy Mayor executed on behalf of the Town, a memorandum of agreement between the Town and M. S. Hiltz, re a proposed concrete sidewalk along the east side of Second Ave. between 2nd and 5th Streets.

Councillor Kneeling was appointed Deputy Mayor for the ensuing three months. Delegates were appointed to the Convention of the Union of Alberta Municipalities to be held in the Palliser Hotel, Calgary, June 16 and 17. Permission to allow Jack Cleve to cut hay in Lambert Park was granted. Improvements to the cemetery are continuing to be made.

TRAIN SCHEDULE

For Strathmore—
 Going West 8:58 p.m.
 Going East 8:06 a.m.
 For Carleton Place—
 Going West 6:52 a.m.
 Going East 9:08 p.m.

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BANK'S REPLY TO PREMIER ABERHART'S LETTER

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 provincial taxes does not include \$26, 278 in municipal property and business taxes. On this basis a grand total of \$567,278 would be paid by the banks in Alberta 1938.

"It may be pertinent to say the average provincial tax per month throughout Canada in 1937 was \$250, whereas Alberta's average was \$170, which has been raised this year to \$1,721, nearly three times as great as the average for all Canada. It is not unusual in banking practice everywhere for branches which have proved conclusively to be unprofitable and without prospects of a change for the better to be withdrawn. Alberta is no exception in that respect but in its case it must be clear that the incidence of the discriminatory and huge tax imposed has rapidly multiplied the number of unprofitable units.

"In these circumstances it is no more than reasonable that the banks should discuss with their Alberta officials and branch managers the prospects and circumstances of various branches. The banks have maintained for years in the hope of improvement numerous losing branches in Alberta. The increasingly onerous taxes imposed by your government have removed that hope in many instances. Where that has occurred, banks have consulted with their customers as to their due concerning the possible effect of the loss of local banking services."

W. McDONNELL
 "On behalf of the banks of Alberta"

LAWN PARTY

The attractive lawn at Mr. McMurtry's home proved a pleasant spot at which to gather Saturday afternoon, and enjoy a friendly chat while partaking of choice sandwiches, cake and tea. Fortune-telling and a clock got were special interesting features. The girls in charge were Vera and Elaine Sarsons, Margaret Freeman, Joan Barton, Mary Hinton, Annie McGregor and Betty McMurray, with able assistance given by Mrs. McMurtry. Mrs. Hinton gave the draw for the cake and Mrs. McMurray the pair of Love Birds.

SCHOOLS AFFECTED AT CEREAL BY HIGHER TAX

Manager Horn of the Royal Bank has received notice to close the branch here at the end of June. This is a most disastrous blow to both village and the large territory surrounding which do their banking business at this point. Efforts are being made to persuade the head office to reconsider their decision as a loss of the bank and its services which it gives to the community affects it great or less degree nearly every resident. The closing of the bank has made it necessary to reduce the number of our teachers in school from twelve to two as the bank pays a heavy tax to the school district and has also financed the teachers salaries from January to June for the past several years.

Seasonable Specials

50 LB. BLOCKS SALT	78c
SLICED PINEAPPLE, 3 TINS	35c
CHOICE TOMATOES, 3 TINS	35c
NABOB COFFEE, 1 LB. TIN	40c
CUPS and SAUCERS	10c
JELLO, 3 PACKETS	25c
5 STRING BROOMS, real value at	49c
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ORANGES—Thin Skin, 2 dozen	45c
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Church Notes

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 Rev. V. M. Gillett, B.A., B.D.
 Minister
 Strathmore, Alberta.

Sunday, June 12th, 1938
 11:30 a.m.—Worship.
 Sacrament Service.
 Cheate.

Strathmore—
 10 a.m.—Worship.
 Subject—The Glory of Going On.
 11 a.m.—Church School.
 7:30 p.m.—Worship.

Subject—A Transformed Path.
 The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper
 will be observed at the close of the
 regular worship.

Pianist and Choir Leader—
 Miss B. Hirtle, Graduate Mount
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CHURCH

Incumbent—
 Rev. Geo. W. Lang, B.A. L.H.
 June 12th—Trinity Sunday
 10 a.m.—Sunday School
 11 a.m.—Holy Communion and
 Sermon.

**Subject—'A New Order'—Born,
 Not Made.**
 St. Andrew's, Gleichen
 7:30 p.m.—Evensong & Sermon.

Strathmore—
 7:30 p.m.—No Service.

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 Proper signing of Alberta highways
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With the construction of new roads
 being extended and prospects of tour-
 ist business showing a material in-
 crease, both motor club and govern-
 ment officials apparently are alive to
 the necessity of having the highways
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TRACK AND FIELD MEET

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 John Groves, Carleland.
 Relay—44 1-5"—Strathmore;
 Gleichen; Carleland.
 Running High Jump—3' 10"—
 John Groves, Carleland; Andy Mel-
 sen, Strathmore; Gordon House,
 Strathmore.

Running Broad Jump—12' 4"—
 Andy Melson, Strathmore; Jack
 Jamson, Rosemary; Louis Daley,
 Strathmore.

8 lb. Shot Putt—16' 3-4"—Billie
 Melayrie Gleichen; John Groves,
 Carleland; Gordon House, Strath-
 more.
CLASS B—GIRLS—

Dash—7' 2-5"—Dorothy LeGrand,
 Hussar; Francis Gellings Rose-
 mary; Madeline Simoon, Bassano.
 Relay—Rosemary; Gleichen; Ar-
 rowwood.

Running High Jump—3' 8"—Fran-
 cis Gellings, Rosemary; Dorothy Le-
 Grandeur Hussar; Edna Brown, Ar-
 rowwood.

Running Broad Jump—10' 4"—
 Winnie Porteous, Berta Vale; Edna
 Brown, Arrowwood; Vivian Hoover,
 Carleland.

Basketball Throw—42' 5"—Betty
 Nauta, Strathmore; Edna Brown Ar-
 rowwood; Betty MacLeod, Rosemary.

CLASS B—BOYS—
 Dash—9' 2-5"—Walter Franssen,
 Akenatid; Paul Walsh, Bassano;
 Stanley Sorenson, Bassano.

Relay—39' 4-5"—Bassano; Rose-
 mary; Gleichen.
 Running High Jump—4' 5"—Paul
 Walsh, Bassano; Stanley Sorenson,
 Bassano; Walter Franssen, Akenatid.

Running Broad Jump—14' 9 1-2"—
 Walter Franssen, Akenatid; Louis
 Kinnon, Carleland; Paul Walsh, Bas-
 sano.

8 lb. Shot Putt—27' 11"—Walter
 Franssen, Akenatid; Dennis Pa-
 carleland; Stanley Sorenson, Bassano.
CLASS B—GIRLS—

Dash—9' 4-5"—Mary Hinton,
 Strathmore; Esther Downey, Gleichen
 Annie Nauta, Strathmore.
 Relay—42' 1-5"—Bassano; Hussar;
 Strathmore.

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Q.—How much money does Life Insurance pay
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Q.—How does Life Insurance invest the millions
 of dollars of policyholders' savings?

A.—In many worth-while enterprises for the
 benefit of all Canadian people.

Q.—What are the principal investments?

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 —first mortgages on homes and farms—and other
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Q.—How do these Life Insurance investments
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SALMON—

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 3 tins 35c
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